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Long distance love affair with Muleshoe

■ Wisconsin woman pursues lifelong dream By RICK WHITE **Managing Editor**

STRATFORD, WI. — Irene Wojick felt left behind.

All her friends were heading off to school, had gotten jobs or were getting married while she was stuck working on her family's small farm. The recent high school graduate didn't even have a driver's license.

"All of a sudden I realized the world was passing me by," remembers Wojick, who has lived in the dairy farming community of 2,000 in central Wisconsin now for 52 years. "I didn't even know any boys to marry then."

She decided she needed a goal. She was going to travel.

Pulling out a map of the United States, she closed her eyes and plunked her finger down on her dream destination. Then she diligently recorded the town of Muleshoe, Texas in her diary.

Marriage and raising a family soon interrupted her dream, but she never forgot about that town in West

Texas with the strange name. Finally, after 34 years Wojick's dream will come

Even though money is tight, Wojick, her husband Pete and three of their children are planning to visit Muleshoe during Labor Day weekend.

"It was always in the back of my mind," said Wojick, who has worked part-time in food service at a nearby hospital for the last 18 years. "I knew some day I'd get there. My son told me if I didn't go now I might never make it."

Wojick (pronounced Wood-jik) wrote a letter to the Journal in January, relating her story and asking the staff to send a copy of the paper and information about the town.

She's been an avid reader of the Journal since February, soaking in every ounce of news about her adopted hometown.

"I'm fascinated by how much goes on in your town," Wojick said. "Every time I read your paper, I learn something new."

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SHREDDED WHEAT



Wheat harvest running late

A good area wheat harvest is being offset by low market prices, leaving Rex Black and other area farmers frustrated.

"That's always the sad story," said Black, in the middle of harvesting his 240 acres of wheat he planted last fall. "The yields are better than they have been in years."

"With all the reports of a freeze doing major damage in the north, we anticipated getting a good price," Black said. "But the price is scary."

The market price for wheat Tuesday noting unusually heavy rains in April and

was \$3.14 a bushel. Last year wheat brought \$6 a bushel.

Black reported yields of 75 bushels an acre in irrigrated field compared to 40-50 bushels an acre last year.

Because of a wet spring, the wheat harvest is a couple weeks later than normal, but boast both quality and quantity, reports Max King of King Grain in Mule-

"It's been a pleasant surprise," said King,

May helped the crop recover nicely from a mid-April freeze.

At Sherley-Anderson Grain in Lariat, manager Lonnie McFarland said he is still waiting on irrigated wheat but reported dryland yield of 18-30 bushels.

It's the first dryland crop for most farmers in two years, McFarland said.

McFarland said the harvest will likely last until mid July. It is the first time in his 22 years at the Lariat elevator he has seen a wheat harvest last past July 4.

Clovis man hired as MHS assistant principal

BY RICK WHITE Managing Editor

Muleshoe High School completed its administrative staff with the hiring of veteran administrator Bill Bizzell of Clovis, NM, as assistant principal.

The hiring was approved by the Muleshoe Independent School District Board of Trustees Monday during a regular bi-monthly meeting.

Bizzell served as high school assistant principal at Clovis High School for the last eight years and was part of the school system since 1973. Bizzell is a former coach and is also one of the top basketball officials in New Mexico.

Bizzell replaces David Jenkins, who was elevated to MHS principal June 16.

"His experience was the biggest factor," said Jenkins, who described Bizzell as "a people person and disciplinarian with a reputation for being fair and honest."

Bizzell was one of seven applicants, four of which received interviews, Jenkins said.

Jenkins told a campus advisory committee he was a little worried about recommending Bizzell because of the "New Mexico" connection and how it would look. The committee across the board raise approved

assured him it was only inter-

ested in finding the most

qualified candidate, Jenkins

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said.

trict would still honor a \$1,000 in May.

MISD Su-

Jenkins served in the Porthe state. tales school system for 25 years before coming to Muleshoe.

In other items Monday, the board tentatively approved a minimum pay raise of \$1,500 for district teachers, contingent on the passing of a constitutional amendment Aug. 9. If the amendment fails, the dis-

perintendent Bill Moore said if the amendment does pass, a large percentage of the salary increased would be covered by

The pay raises in the minimum salary schedule for teachers were included in a tax relief package that would provide a \$10,000 increase in homestead exemptions for local school property taxes.

awarded the district's twoyear depository bid to First

Bank of Muleshoe on Moore's recommendation. Muleshoe State Bank also submitted a

reviewed and discussed minor changes in the Watson Junior High and MISD athletic handbooks.

A proposed change in the junior high handbook that would limit the number of earrings girls can wear prompted a lengthy discussion.

The proposed change would limit the number to one per ear. Board President Cindy Purdy said she felt uncomfort-

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Garcia Muleshoe **Postmaster**

Lionel Garcia of Plainview started Monday as postmaster of the Muleshoe Post Office.

Garcia started as a mail carrier for the Plainview Post Office in 1977, working his way through mail processing, mail delivery and an OIC (Officer In Charge) over a period of 20 years.

"I'm glad I was lucky enough to get this job," said Garcia. "It's a new opportunity for me."

He hopes the position is permanent.

One of Garcia's goals is to get people interested in stamp collecting. He plans to carry more collectable stamps in

Garcia and his wife Angie

TAKING A CLOSER LOOK Bailey County sales tax rebates Sales down 4% Sales tax rebates in Bailey County dropped 4 percent in May and are down 10 percent through

Year to date

Note: Sales tax rebates are 1.5% of the

gross taxable sales. Items like food and

medicine are not taxable

the first five months of 1997.

The State Comptroller's office delivered a total of \$28,298 in May sale tax rebates to County businesses this month, compared to \$29,375 in May of 1996.

For the year, rebates have dropped from \$210,583 to \$189,288 in 1997.

Payments are based on monthly tax returns.

Funds available for new USDA program

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Texas is expected to receive about \$13 million through a new USDA conservation program.

Farmers and ranchers in environmental priority areas may be eligible for technical, financial and educational assistance to help meet water quality and other conservation efforts through the Environmental Quality Incentives Program.

EQIP is part of the 1996 Farm Bill, replacing previous USDA programs, including both the Agricultural Conservation Program (ACP) and the Great Plains Conservation Program (GPCP).

The Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), Farm Service agency (FSA), local soil and water conservation districts, and others will begin implementing the program at the county level. Producers must be accepted and contracts signed prior to Sept. 30.

U.S. Rep. Larry Combest (R-Lubbock), vice chair-

man of the House Agriculture Committee, said "One section of EQIP will address statewide concerns such as livestock production, cropland, wellhead protection areas, and forest land.

Under EQIP, each application will be ranked according to total cost and the environmental benefits derived from the installation of the practices. Producers within a priority area will compete for funding against other applicants within the area. Producers, outside the priority areas, will compete statewide for EQIP.

To receive funding from EQIP, producers are required to enter into long-term contracts. Contracts must be at least five years and cannot be longer than ten years. Producers can receive up to \$10,000 of EQIP funding per year not to exceed \$50,000 for the life of the contract.

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Summer registration at SPC July 7

LEVELLAND- Registration for the second summer term at South Plains College will be between 2-6 p.m. July 7 in the women's gym. Late registration is 8:30a.m.- 3:30 p.m. and 5:30-6:30 p.m. July 8-9 in the Office of Admissions and Records in the Administration Building.

Classes begin July 8.

Courses will be offered in accounting, anthropology, biology, chemistry, commercial music, computer science, English, government history, law enforcement technology, math, music, physical education, psychology, reading, sociology Spanish and speech communication.

A late fee of \$15 and an add/ drop fee of \$5 will be charged.

To obtain a summer 1997 schedule of classes, contact the SPC Office of Admissions and Records at 806-894-9611, ext. 2374 or 2375.

Godinez takes fifth at state convention

Marisol Godinez of Lazbuddie took fifth place in accounting at the recent state Phi Beta Lambda Convention in Houston.

She represented the South Plains College team, part of the collegiate division of Future Busi- Marisol Godinez ness Leaders of America.



Pageant looking for Mrs. Muleshoe

SAN ANTONIO -- Mrs. Texas International officials are looking for the next Mrs. Muleshoe. The woman selected will receive her crown and banner and will have the opportunity to represent Muleshoe at the 1998 Mrs. Texas International Pageant, which will be held in San Antonio February 19-22 Zaragosa Theatre at Fiesta Texas.

Married women between the ages of 24 and 54 who have been married for a minimum of two years and have resided in the Muleshoe area for at least six months are qualifyied to enter.

To receive an application, call 210-590-6877, or write to Bray Creative Service at 5410 Vista Court, San Antonio, TX 78247.

SHAPES offers preschool program

South Plains Head Start and Professional Education Services provides free services to preschool children ages three through five who have disabling conditions and/or special needs.

The services which are offered include educational diagnosis, evaluation and training, medical attention and treatment, visual and hearing evaluation and treatment, speech evaluation and therapy, mental health evaluation and counseling, referrals, onsite teaching, and travel to and from service sites.

For further information, call Tommy Tidwell or Loyd Johnson at 1-800-658-9632 or write to SHAPES, P.O. Box 121, Levelland, TX 79336.

ENMU bilingual scholarships available

PORTALES—The Bilingual Education Program at Eastern New Mexico University in Portales has received funding from the U.S. Department of Education for its bilingual/ multicultural educational program.

The program includes a summer "bridge" program for high school students considering careers in education. Eligible student majoring in bilingual education may apply for one of 15 scholarships for the 1997-98 academic

This is the second year of a five-year program designed to increase the number of bilingual/bicultural educators in New Mexico.

For an application or more information, contact program director Dr. Julia Rosa Lopez-Emslie at 505-562-2264, or assistant director Sylvia Mendez-Morse at 505-562-2922.

State arson hotline established

A Texas Advisory Council (ATAC), on Arson, the State Fire Marshal's Office and the National Insurance Crime Bureau (NICB) has established an Arson Hotline and Reward Program in an effort to combat the growing problem of arson in Texas.

Callers to (800) 835-6422 are eligible for a reward of up to \$1,000 if the information provided leads to the arrest of a suspected arsonist. The hotline will also take information from individuals who do not want a reward.

For further information contact Larry Hawes at (817) 481-9444 or Lawrence Andrews at (512) 918-7146.

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EXTENDED FORECAST

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6/24

Year to date

Partly to mostly cloudy through Saturday. Slight chance of showers and thunderstorms. Lows will be in the 60s and highs in the 80s.

USDA

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EQIP will pay up to 75 percent of the cost of installing some conservation practices. EQIP will also provide incentive payments for some practices.

A producer will be required to develop a local conservation plan, with USDA assistance. Landowners and producers can obtain additional information by contacting the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service, Farm Service Agency, or Cooperative Extension Ser-



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PUBLIC NOTICE

BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENT OF PROPOSED

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT SPECIAL ELECTION **AUGUST 9, 1997**

PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 4 proposes a constitutional amendment which would increase the school property tax residence homestead exemption from \$5,000 to \$15,000. The amendment would also authorize the Legislature to limit all or part of the exemption to political subdivisions that are the principal providers of elementary and secondary education within their boundaries.

In addition, the amendment would authorize the Legislature to allow the transfer of all or part of the age 65-and-over tax freeze to another homestead. Specifically, the Legislature would be authorized to provide that the current limitation against increasing school property taxes on the residence homesteads of persons age 65 or older, or their surviving spouse who is eligible to receive the exemption, may be transferred if the person establishes a different residence homestead.

The amendment would also allow the \$10,000 additional amount for the standard exemption to be used to lower the tax rate of persons currently receiving the 65-and-over tax freeze. Specifically, for a homestead affected by this limitation in 1996 or in an earlier tax year, the Legislature must provide for a reduction in the school property tax limitation in the 1997 tax year and subsequent tax years in an amount equal to \$10,000 multiplied by the 1997 school property tax rate.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment providing school property tax relief by increasing the residence homestead exemption by \$10,000 and providing for the transfer of the tax limitation to another qualified homestead for persons over 65 and a reduction in taxes subject to the limitation."

Este es el informe explanatorio sobre la enmienda propuesta a la constitución que aparecerá en la boleta el dia 9 de agosto de 1997. Si usted no ha recibido una copia del informe en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llamar al 1/800/252/8683 a por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, Texas 78711

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Principal

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able telling children how many the school or classroom was earrings, how many rings, or how much jewelry they could wear.

She felt a provision that prohibits students from wearing jewelry that would or could cause health or safety hazards. distractions, or disruptions in

Dream

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"I read it before I read our hometown newspaper," said Wojick, who has never travelled outside the neighboring states of Minnesota and Illinois.

She said her whole family is excited.

"My husband wants to see the statue of the mule for obvious reasons," Wojick said.

Wheat inspection tour Friday, June 27

An inspection tour of wheat test plot will be held Friday near Lazbuddie.

All interested parties should meet at 9:30 a.m. at the Lazbuddie store

The test site is operated by Eric Vaughn and includes 20 wheat varieties.

Guest speaker is Dr. Brent Bean, associate professor and extension agronomist.

For more information, contact Parmer County AG Cody Hill at 481-3619.

Have a nice day!

Moore agreed with Purdy that the distraction/disruption clause was probably sufficient.

One board member was concerned that without a clearly defined earring policy, it might shift too much responsibility to school officials.

"They have to make calls like that all the time," Moore said.

The handbook prohibits boys from wearing earrings and all body piercing.

Pain may be eliminated for millions

(SPECIAL) -- A drug that is exciting researchers in the treatment of pain has been formulated into a new product known as "Arthur Itis," and is being called a "Medical Miracle" by some, in the treatment of debilitating conditions such as arthritis, bursitis, rheumatism, painful muscle aches, jointaches, simple backache, bruises, and more. Although the mechanism of action is unclear, experiments indicate that Arthur Itis, relieves pain by first selectively attracting, and then destroying the messenger chemical which carries pain sensations to the brain, thus eliminating pain in the affected area. Arthur Itis, is available immediately without a prescription in an odorless, greaseless, non-staining cream or new roll-on liquid form. Arthur Itis, is guaranteed to work or your money back.

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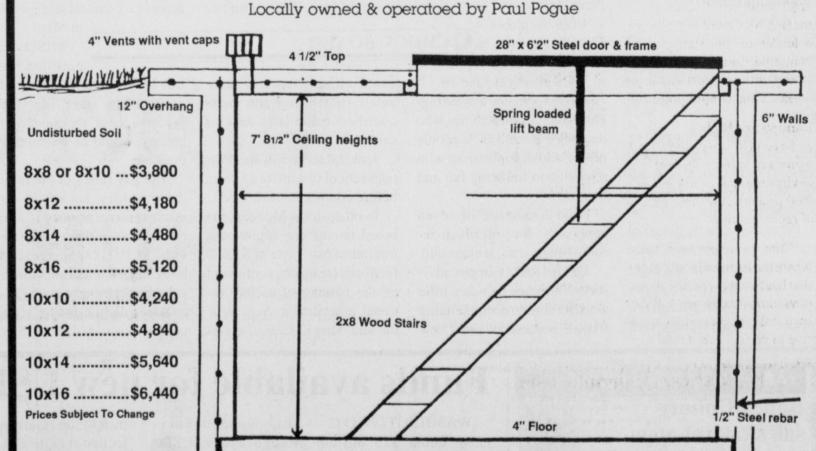
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LOOK AT **LEGISLATURE**

The following is a summary of important agricultural legislation passed during the 75th legislature by Austin attorney Ed Small.

Water Conservation

The legislature passed the state's first water conservation and drought management plan.

Small, who worked with lawmakers on the water bill, says agriculture is well positioned. Weather modification and water conservation, including brush control can be promoted under the plan.

Horse Inspection

Lawmakers also passed a bill to help prevent horse theft. Under the legislation, TSCRA will inspect all horses before they are slaughtered in Texas, allowing inspectors to catch stolen horses before they are killed. TSCRA will receive a \$3 fee for each horse slaughtered to cover inspection costs.

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service will receive \$2 per horse to cover the costs of educating horse owners on theft prevention.

Property Taxes

Although property tax breaks were not as high as Governor Bush and many landowners had hoped for, the legislature did take a big first step toward decreasing property taxes.

By carving \$1 billion out of the state budget, lawmakers were able to increase homestead exemptions by \$10,000. This will result in about a \$140 tax cut for property owners.

"That doesn't sound like a lot, but it really is a good first step," says Small. "The other side of the coin is the legislature will have to deal with school financing next session. School financing is the real issue."

Poaching

Under a popular anti-poaching measure, hunting licenses will automatically be suspended for hunters caught poaching. Fencing

Landowners rights to maintain high fences was clarified.

Fire Ant Control

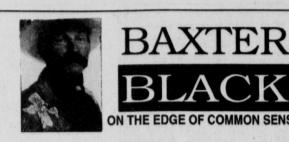
Fire ant research was funded at \$2.5 million. TSCRA Director Bob McCan of Victoria was a leader on the state fire ant committee and was instrumental in gaining support for fire ant research and control projects.

Landowner Rights

Several bills will allow landowners to voluntarily deal with environmental problems on their properties without the risk of repercussions.

"There were several instances where the legislature recognized that landowners could deal with environmental issues on their own and gave them some incentive to do so," says Small.

No sale



The big boy land developers hired them a worn out hack To go and buy the water rights off farmers down the track. "Just pay'em anything they ask. Hell, any price on earth. Those farmer's haven't got a clue of what it's really worth."

"Them's fightin' words," the farmer said. "This water ain't for sale It's all that keeps this place alive. Without it crops would fail." The lawyer sorta laughed it off. "We'll get it anyway. The cities need it all to grow. You can't stand in their way.

It's progress, you should know by now you can't hold back the flood." "There's lifetimes given to this land. The water's in their blood." "Old man that's ancient history, besides we'll make you rich. Just name yer price, you'll have it. It's nothin' but a ditch."

"Yer hollow as your vacant eyes. Yer empty as yer word. You can't see past the dollar signs. These things that you've inferred Are bigger than yer lawyer's fee, yer Judas ten percent. You've no respect for anything, you covet just the rent.

Go back to your rich puppeteers who've never broke a sweat, Who ride in when the battle's done and use their bayonet To finish off the wounded brave and pick their pockets clean Then sell their spoils to innocents to keep their cities green.

Explain to them the difference between value and price. That value isn't what is paid it's what is sacrificed That gives it worth. It's measured in the turns around a field, In families and community, in broken bonds and healed,

In barns burnt down and harvest lost and kids gone off to war. Explain to them it's measured in grooves worn in your soul . . . or, In depths of neighbor's breaking hearts when someone's lost a wife, And that you can't just set a price on someone's way of life.

Green Thumb program provides assistance to seniors

grant with the Employment and

Training Administration of the

United States Department of

Labor. Sponsored by Texas

Farmers Union, the program

provides part-time employ-

ment and training opportuni-

Not long after Holly Millsap retired last fall she found herself long on free time and short on money.

What started out as volunteer work in the district clerk's office in February has turned into a part-time job.

Millsap is now part of the Green Thumb program, a federal program that assist senior citizens in finding part-time employment.

For the last three months she worked for the Green Thumb program.

The lifelong Muleshoe resident now helps the county treasurer at the Courthouse with payroll, accounts receivable/payable and receipts.

"I love working with the people and learning new things," she said. "It's really a lot of fun."

Millsap retired from the Muleshoe Journal in November after 20 years.

She said she took the job to get out of the house and earn a little extra money.

Millsap has one daughter and three grandchildren. In her spare time she likes to travel and read.

Fay Martin, of Clovis manages the local Green Thumb program and has employed five Muleshoe senior citizens.

Green Thumb is an equal

Opportunity Employer that continually solicits applications from eligible seniors as well as from potential sponsoring agencies. For more information, please contact Green Thumb, Inc., Diane Cowan, State Director. Green Thumb, Inc., operates the Senior Community Service Employment under a

Holly Millsap

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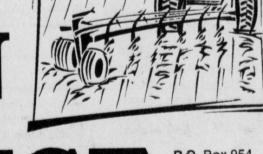
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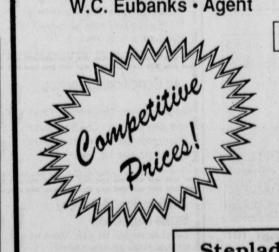


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Runnin' Mule track club excels at qualifier

The folloing are the results for the Runnin' Mule track club which competed in a USA track & field regional qualifier meet June 21-22 at Lubbock Coronado.

The top six finishers qualified to compete in the regional track meet at Abilene Christian University in July. **BANTOM DIVISION**

(9-10 years old) Girls

100 meters—2. Amber Cowart, 15.86; 5. Jamie Carpenter, 16.92

200 meter— 3. Amber Cowart, 33.71

Long jump - 1. Amber Cowart, 11'7 3/4'

Boys 1500 meter - 3. Brady Broyles, 6:10.34; 6. Myles James, 7:28.41 Long jump — 5. Kory Atwood,

10'2 3/34' Shot put — 1. Kory Atwood, 20'2 1/2"

PRIMARY DIVISION (7 - 8 years old) Girls

100 meters- 1. Kate Lepard, 17.2; 6. Chelsi Hawkins, 19.00

400 meters-2. Kate Lepard, 84 Boys MIDGET DIVISION

(11 -12 years old)

80 meter hurdles— 2. Tyler

Shot put-2. Joel Cowart, 23'6"; 3. Bryan King, 23'1 1/2"; 4. Tyrel

Discus- 1. Bryan King, 48'2"; 2. Tyrel Gear 46'9 1/2"

Long jump — 3. Tyrel Wood, 32-7

100 meter hurdles — 5. Jodie

Hawkins, 20.03 100 meters — 6. Brittni Gartin,

1500 meter — 5. Megan Barrett,

4x400 meter relay — 4. Brittni Gartin, Rendi Hodge, Megan Barrett, Jessica Carpenter, 4:57.09

Long jump — 2. J essica Carpenter, 14-9 3/4; 4. Rendi Hodge, Triple jump — 3. Jessica Car-

penter, 30-3 3/4 YOUTH DIVISION (13 -14 years old)

800 meter — 2. Kyle Atwood, 2:16.22

4x400 meter relay -2. Bradley Thomason, Jeff Kin, Stephan Shelburne, Kyle Atwood, 4:24.40

Pole Vault - 1. Jeff King, 8-6; 2. Brennon Broyles 8-0

High jump — 4. Brennon

Triple jump — 3. Kyle Atwood,

Shot put—1. Bradley Thomason,

39-4; 3. Daniel Johnson, 35-8 1/2 Discus — 5. Bradley Thomason,

INTERMEDIATE DIVISION (15-16 years old)

Shot put — 6. Matt Turney, 33-1 Discus — 6. Matt Turney, 96-0

(17 - 18 years old) 400 Meter — 4. Greg Pena,

YOUNG MEN DIVISION

Shot Put — 5. Greg Pena, 34-3

Runnin' Mules boys track team

The following members of the Runnin' Mules Track Club qualified to compete in the reginal track meet in Abilene in July: (back, from left) Bradley Thomason, Daniel Johnson, Matt Turney, Greg Pena, (middle) Kyle Atwood, Jeff King, Brennan Broyles, (kneeling) Joel Cowart, Tyrel Gear, Kory Atwood, (front) Derek Purdy, Tyler Wood, and Brady Broyles.

track team The following members of the Runnin' Mules Track Club qualified to compete in

Runnin' Mules girls

the reginal track meet in Abilene in July: (back, from left) Jessica Carpenter, Britni Gartin, Rendi Hodge, (middle) Megan Barrett, Jamie Carpenter, Amber Cowart, Jodi Hawkins, (front) Kate Lepard, Brandi Wood, and Mitzi Hawkins.

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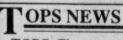
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TOPS Chapter number 34 met at the Muleshoe Church of Christ on Thursday, June 12. Leader, Laverne James called the meeting to order. The TOPS

Both contest's ended. No member got all the letters in POUNDS. Five members got four letters they are Evelene Harris, Laverne James, Jewel Peeler, Alma Robertson and Betty Jo Davis. In the pounds: contest side one won with a total of 3.605 points.

On June 19 another meeting was held with Laverne James calling the meeting to order.

Best Loser for the week was Noemi Sanchez, Cheryl De Greffinreid was first runner-up and Polly Otwell was

second runner-up.

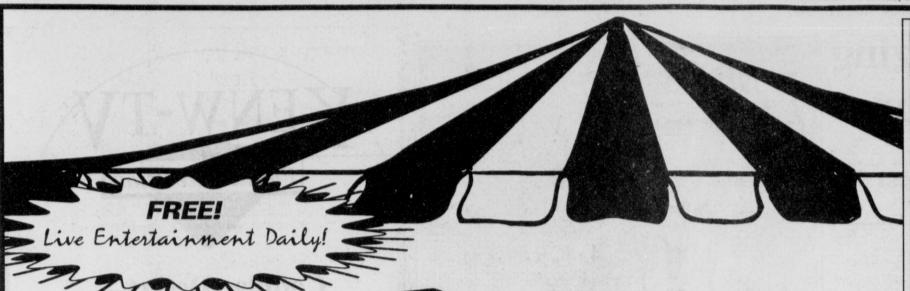
Guest speaker was Gail Gladden, Bailey County Extension Agent - Home Economics. Mrs. Gladden's program was "Do you eat too much fat?" She gave members a quiz on this. From test tubes she showed how much fat was in different foods. Charts were given on choosing "Thin" foods and small changes add up. Mrs. Gladden gave some simple guidelines or healthy eating

when planning you meals. Jewell Peeler has brought another great contest "Wipe away Pounds". Each member that gains will bring a hand towel if you stay the same they bring a cup towel and if you do



TOPS Guest speaker for June 19 Gail Gladden

not attend the meeting bring a pot holder or a dish cloth. At the end of six weeks the members who has lost the most times will receive all the towels, cup towels and etc. If there are more than one it will be divided.



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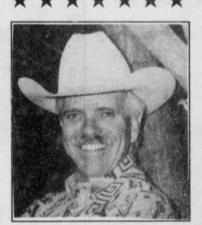
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Reasearch stabilizing roots of agriculture

The public's fancy is captured by news of research using corn to de-ice airport runways, tobacco plants fighting cancer, and an ice plant teaching crops to survive in desert heat.

Stories of "gee-whiz" research understandably get attention. However, I believe there is a lot of "gee whiz' behind the solid, reliable research results from integrated pest management, no-till preparation of the land. Not very fancy, but vitally impor-

This month, I began a series of hearings in Congress leading up to the first comprehensive plan in 20 years for agriculture research. Research is the important, stabilizing roots of our agriculture system. A farmer would never go into the field without months of land preparation and financ-

The seeds of research have taken years to cultivate what we harvest today as the breadbasket of the world. This research has led to a six-fold increase in agriculture labor productivity since 1948. Almost 50 years ago, the number of people fed by one farmer was 15. Today, one farmer is able to feed 96 other people.

Our region's agriculturedriven economy is a living laboratory for research. In particular, the Plant Stress and Water Conservation Institute at Texas Tech University continues to make strides in improving the drought and heat tolerance of crops grown in arid areas. Throughout agriculture, federal, state and private researchers work with

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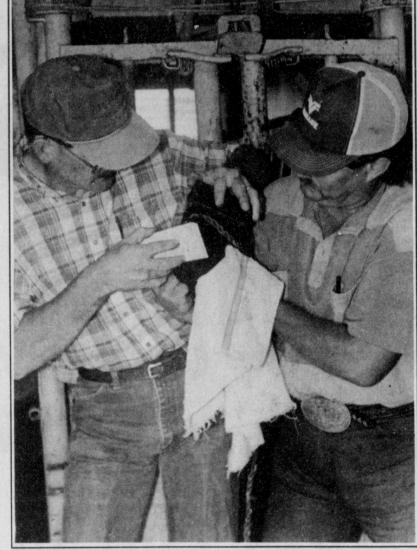
I have always felt that our cutting-edge technology, dependent on strong research and development efforts, is what gives American agriculture the advantage over the rest of the world. We are blessed with the most productive people and land in the world, yet we cannot remain competitive on the world market without continued investments in agricultural research, extension and education.

Fundamental changes from the 1996 Farm Bill will expose producers to new challenges and risks that research may

In light of this substantial change in farm policy, it is even more critical that strong support for research programs is maintained to ensure our competitive edge in the technology arena. While this is our goal, the degree of difficulty involved is multiplied as we balance a tight federal budget

with many competing needs.

I will continue to encourage the other committees in Congress to recognize the vital importance of maintaining our investments in agricultural research. At the same time, I will also focus the debate on efforts to improve current research, striving to make every research dollar go as far as possible.



Booked

Bailey County Extension agent Curtis Preston takes a nose print from a Maine-Anjou steer with the help of Ronnie Richardson of Maple Tuesday at the Muleshoe Animal Clinic. Stock show officials are able to keep accurate records of show steers using nose prints, ear tags and photographs.

SENIOR CITIZENS

The Senior Citizens met June 23 at the Depot for a delicious covered dish luncheon at noon. Blessing was given by Buster Kittrell and the Allegiance to the

Ellen Bayless and Juanice Bridgeman were guests. Thirtyone members were present. Clifton Findly's daughter from Kansas, Nelda Mayse and her two daughters, Karen and Suzanna, were also present.

After the luncheon, Ramon Martinez, a dispatcher from the Muleshoe Police Department, gave the history and instructions of when you are calling "9-1-1" He said, "to be calm and be sure to stay on the line until all informa-

tion is given." All 9-1-1 calls from pay phones are free.

Birthdays for the month of June were Opal Robinson, Zida Mae Black and Crystal Walton.

A get well card was sent to Vivian White and a sympathy card was sent to the Upchurch family.

Free eye examination's will begin at 10:30 a.m. for Senior Citizens at the Depot.

The next meeting will be July



Cadillac Desert —

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Cadillac Desert, a four-part series, chronicles the epic struggle for water in the modern American West and its legacy of fruitful abundance and profound risk at home and abroad. The first three programs, based on Marc Reisner's groundbreaking book, Cadillac Desert, are tales of heroic determination, astounding engineering feats, political machinations, and economic and ecological triumphs and disasters. The final program, based on Sandra Postel's book, Last Oasis, explores the ramifications of the global export of American land reclamation technology to developing countries. Academy Award-nominee Alfree Woodard narrates.

The first episode, entitled "Mulholland's Dream," airs in June. It is a story of how the people of Los Angeles sent William Mulholland to look for water and how he found it for them. Evoking real-life visionaries, scoundrels, and dark intrigues behind Los Angeles' search for water in the 1974 fictional movie Chinatown, the program weaves past and present together to illustrate water's role in the history of Los Angeles, as well as the city's challenges for the future.

Cadillac Desert will be broadcast Tuesdays at 9:00 p.m. beginning June 24th on KENW-TV. The series repeats Saturdays at 11:00 p.m.

WHAT'S NEW-Cancer: A Personal Voyage

Sunday, 29th, 4:30 p.m. Monday, 30th, 10:00 p.m.

Actor Matthew Broderick (whose own father died of cancer) reads poignant excerpts from the diary of Peter J. Morgan, M.D., who, at age 29, learned he had terminal cancer. The special reveals Dr. Morgan's unique and often conflicting insights and inner feelings about living and dying with cancer. The program also features interviews with Morgan before his death at age 31, his family, friends, and colleagues.

> Channel 3 Television from Eastern New Mexico University, Portales, New Mexico

OTTON NEWS

LUBBOCK — Rains have returned to the Texas High Plains during the past couple of months and producers are working hard to take advantage of the situation.

According to Lubbockbased Plains Cotton Growers (PCG) the situation for most growers is considerably better than it has been at this time for the past several years. Adequate moisture levels mean sprinklers don't have to fun and dryland crops are getting off to a good start.

Unfortunately there is always some bad news to temper any situation and this year it is the fact that the rainfall and associated hail and blowing sand could have caused as much as 200,000 acres of cotton to be last across the area.

Compared to the more that 900,000 acres lost in 1996, primarily to excessively dry conditions across much of the dryland area, the current picture doesn't look as bleak as it first appears. With time about exhausted for producers to plant back to cotton many of these acres, and any additional losses, will likely be diverted to alternative crops.

Overall prospects are bright so long as producers are able to cope effectively through the remainder of the growing season. Insect pressure and the constant threat of hail with passing thunderstorms will be the most significant problems to avoid.

Scott, Bearden married June 7



Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bearden (Debby Scott)

Debby Scott and Dale Bearden were united in marriage June 7 in a backyard ceremony at the home of the bride with Minister Reydon Stanford officiating.

The brides parents are Ray and Jo Ann Clark of Canadian, Texas. The groom's parents are John and Connie Bearden of Mission, Texas.

Music was provided by Jessica Orozco with songs "I Only Get This Way With You" by Rick Trevino and the traditional "Wedding March".

Bridesmaids were Keri Jo Copley, Nicole Miller and Lauren Bearden who was the flower-girl. Matron of Honor was Cissie Robinson. Best man was Kevin McLaughlin.

Debby is currently employed with Potato Farm Services as Office Manager. Dale is self-employed with Tailgate Sales.

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Featured Patient

Mrs. Berta Kitchens has lived in the Longview community since 1938. She was married to the late I.L. Kitchens.

She has five children, Bunt of Muleshoe, Larry of Longview, Glenna of Whorton, Charlie of Roby, TX, and Gail of Festies, Miss.

Mrs. Kitchens has 12 grandchildren, four great grandchildren, and one great great grand-

She used to enjoy crocheting and sewing. She is a member of the Trinity Baptist Church of Muleshoe.

The other staff members from the M.A.H.H.A

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Muleshoe teens attend entrepreneur camp

LEVELLAND-Jill Gladden, Brenna Farley and Rhett Kerby from Muleshoe were among a group of teenagers who got down to business last week at South Plains College thanks to the first-ever Entrepreneurs of the Future Camp

Nineteen high school sophomores, juniors and seniors from towns throughout the South Plains attended the two-and-ahalf day camp, which was cosponsored by SPC and a number of state organizations. Students stayed in college hous-

Youth and business are becoming increasing linked together. "Most colleges are now gearing up for some type of entrepreneurial program, and there are success stories around the nation of young people who have been successful in their own businesses," said Steve Anderson, director of the Small **Business Development Center** in Texas Tech University's College of Business Administration."

The two-and-a-half day overnight camp co-sponsored by SPC and several area organizations focused on the nuts and bolts of starting a business and featured experts in a variety of business-related fields.

They learned about the importance of developing a business plan and promoting their business at trade show, how to market their product and themselves, use the Internet and libraries as business plan and promoting their business at trade shows, how to market



Muleshoe students mean business

Three teenagers from Muleshoe got a firsthand look at how to start their own business this past week at South Plains College during the first-time Entrepreneurs Camp of the Future 1997. SPC co-sponsored the camp along with several organizations, including Wes-Tex and Texas Agricultural Extension Services. From Left are Karie Preston, executive director of Wes-Tex and RCND, Gail Gladden, Bailey Co. extension agent, Brenna Farley, Jill Gladden and Rhett Kerby, and Jim Walker (right), associate dean of technical and continuing education.

their product and themselves, use the Internet and libraries as business resources, record keeping, pricing their product, promotion and marketing, and tips on creating a successful craft business.

The teens also participated in a trade show and learned about other Texas entrepreneurs who have been successful in niche marketing, that is, meeting a specific need — for example, marketing mesquite chips bagged like potato chips for grilling, frozen homemade style cookie dough, sweet potato pancake mix, gourmet mushrooms that can be grown in the refrigerator and a sorghum-based flour for persons allergic to wheat.

The camp was sponsored by South Plains College, Promised Land Network, Texas Agricultural Extension Services, Wes-Texas Resource Conservation and Development Area, Northwest Texas Small Business Development Center, Tech Prep, Region 17 Service Center and Texas Rural Communities, which provided scholarships.

The students received certificates for their participation during Friday's closing ceremonies. But the story won't end there.



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H IGH PLAINS JUNIOR RODEO ASSOCIATION RESULTS

High Plains Junior Rodeo Association Rodeo June 19-21 Muleshoe TX

Muleshoe, TX
(No. entries in parenthesis)

13-19 Bareback/Saddle Bronc (6) — 1. Robert Aragon, 71, \$90; 2. Chris Hill, 61, \$60

8-under Calf Riding (11)—1. Stormy Wing, 68, \$72.60; 2. Justin Smith, 67, \$48.40.

9-12 Steer Riding (3) — 1. Dwayne Sanders, 70, \$39.

13-15 Bull Riding (9) — 1. Dale Vickery, 72, \$90; 2. Cole Randle, 71, \$54; 3. Chay Morris, 69, \$36; 4. Nathan Tickner, 67; 5. Josh Salazar, 63.

16-19 Bull Riding (12) — 1. Coy Dictson, 71, \$150; 2. (tie) Mitchell Rogers, Scotty Pence, Greg Fuller and Ben Cook, 70, \$37.50 each; 6. Ron Lilley, 68; 7. Willie Eldridge, 66; 8. Chance Mills, 64.

9-12 Calf Touching (28) — 1. Sterling Morris, 4.754, \$105.66; 2. C.W. Cathey, 6.321, \$87.36; 3. Brock McLemore, 6.437, \$69.16; 4. Chance Millican, 7.829, \$50.98; 5. Hadley Hirt, 10.268, \$32.76; 6. Jake Cooper, 10.984, \$18.20; 7. Cimarron Thompson, 11.130; 8. Brandon Gonzales, 13.140; 9. Jimmie Cooper, 15.554; 10. J. Tom Fisher, 15.911.

13-15 Calf Roping (26) — 1. Monty Lewis, 9.658, \$150.80; 2. J.D. Kibbe, 11.735, \$124.80; 3. Chris Purcell, 12.432, \$96.80; 4. Rex Tippy, 12.666, \$72.80; 5. Rodey Wilson, 12.736, \$46.80; 6. John Pete Etcheverry, 12.811, \$26; 7. Clint Cooper, 13.278; 8. Marty Eakin, 14.501; 9. Vin Fisher, 16.020; 10. Trey Dove, 20.486.

16-19 Calf Roping (28) — 1. Casey Crow, 9.468, \$20 $\overline{3}$; 2. Rusty Henard, 9.682, \$168; 3. Cody Lawrence, 12.255, \$133; 4. Ryan Brewer, 14.727, \$98; 5. Monty Eakin, 14.760, \$63; 6. Lance Purcell, 15.514, \$35; 7. Tim Hogue, 17.371; 8. Garland Spears, 22.928; 9. Neal Stanfield, 24.197; 10. Clyde Jenkins, 25.900.

8-under Barrel Race (23)—1. Tiffani Sooter, 17.900, \$75.90; 2. Kodi Armitage, 18.100, \$63.25; 3. Chelsey Callan, 18.436, \$50.60; 4. Brady Black, 18.450, \$37.95; 5. Lori Jo Lide, 18.507, \$25.30; 6. Kimberly Jackson, 18.557; 7. Danielle McGuire, 18.968; 8. Rana Terry, 19.108; 9. Rene McCasland, 19.173; 10. Aaron Lide, 19.360.

9-12 Barrel Race (31) — 1. Paige Davis, 18.215, \$116.87; 2. Ashley Branch, 18.240, \$96.72; 3. Taylor Fellows, 18.376, \$76.57; 4. Aleashae Tindol, 18.528, \$56.42; 5. Bridgette Hecht, 18.694, \$38.27; 6. Kaci Harrison, 18.711, \$20.15; 7. Kassandra Clark, 18.905; 8. Billie Jo Herring, 18.917; 9. Tauna Higgins, 18.977; 10. Ashley Smith, 19.016.

13-15 Barrel Race (31)—1. Stephanie Fryer, 17.477, \$179.80; 2. Kelsey Davis, 17.792, \$148.80; 3. Amanda Schumacher, 17.845, \$117.80; 4. Brandi Harrison, 18.031, \$86.80; 5. Melissa White, 18.053, \$55.80; 6. Ashley Sultemeier, 18.187, \$31; 7. Katie Kirkes, 18.224; 8. Taylor Laws, 18.334; 9. Raquel Davis, 18.361; 10. Darcee Purcell, 18.475.

16-19 Barrel Race (25) — 1. Jamie Greer, 18.184, \$181.25; 2. Kimberly Barr, 18.286, \$150; 3. Amber Brewer, 18.297, \$118.75; 4. Brandi Curtis, 18.317, \$87.50; 5. Shawn Purcell, 18.412, \$56.25; 6. Shalei Erramouspe, 18.450, \$31.25; 7. Kristian Lovelace, 18.458; 8. Jera Harris, 18.517; 9. Meghann Young, 18.617; 10. Kasi Kibbe, 18.735.

8-under Pole Bending (23) — 1. Tiffany Sooter, 21.935, \$75.90; 2. Aaron Lide, 21.574, \$63.25; 3. Kimberly Jackson, 21.875, \$50.60; 4. Lori Jo Lide, 23.043, \$37.95l; 5. Mishae Griffin, 23.274, \$25.30; 6. Brady Black, 23.602; 7. Payton Terry, 23.793; 8. Cody Burney, 24.340; 9. Dustan Sant, 24.459; 10. Justin Smith, 25.708.

9-12 Pole Bending (29) — 1. Paige Davis, 20.965, \$109.33; 2. Ashley Branch, 21.399, \$90.48; 3. Taylor Fellows, 21.650, \$71.63; 4. Dana Lewis, 21.743, \$52.78; 5. Jaci Sant, 21.766, \$33.93; 6. Kaci Harrison, 21.829, \$18.85; 7. Raelynn Gardner,

21.910; 8. Kristi McLaughlin, 21.981; 9. Dustalei Thomas, 21.990; 10. Aleashae Tindol, 22.036.

13-15 Pole Bending (22) — 1. Raquel Davis, 20.275, \$132; 2. Ericka Miller, 21.113, \$110; 3. Tamra Sanders, 21.404, \$88; 4. Brandi Harrison, 21.525, \$66; 5. Crystal Hall, 21.834, \$44; 6. Amy Davis, 21.894; 7. Brandy Denton, 21.938; 8. Darcee Purcell, 22.422; 9. Camie Payne, 22.818; 10. Tiffany Hunston, 23.167.

16-19 Pole Bending (14) — 1. Brandi Curtis, 20.634, \$140; 2. Jera Harris, 21.288, \$105; 3. Shvonne Farrow, 21.523, \$70; 4. Sarah Boone, 21.094, \$35; 5. Amanda Kaufmann, 22.402; 6. Natalie Hogue, 22.426; 7. Kimberly Barr, 23.373; 8. Shawn Purcell, 23.990; 9. Nikki Price, 24.129; 10. Abby Orcutt, 24.493.

Chute Dogging (13) — 1. Monty Eakin, 3.142, \$130; 2. Andrew Wood, 3.570, \$97.50; 3. Mickey Williams, 4.116, \$65; 4. Ryan Potts, 5.242, \$32.50; 5. Clyde Jenkins, 7,331; 6. Jason York, 9.456; 7. Mark Jennings, 12.360; 8. Casey Willis, 20.930.

8-under Breakaway Roping (15) — 1. Justin Smith, 5.077, \$66; 2. Chelsey Callan, 8.233, \$49.50; 3. Hart Greenwood, 12.900, \$33; 4. Dustin McDaniel, 18.172, \$26.50; 5. Lori Jo Lide, 24.674.

9-12 Boys Breakaway Roping (30)
— 1. Sterling Morris, 4.347, \$113.10; 2. Justin Nevares, 4.437, \$93.60; 3. Joseph Gonzales, 5.081, \$74.10; 4. J. Tom Fisher, 5.251, \$54.60; 5. Jimmie Cooper, 5.378, \$35.10; 6. C.W. Cathey, 5.496, \$19.50; 7. Jay Dee Logan, 6.366; 8. Max Graham, 6.522; 9. Brad Good, 6.603; 10. Hadley Hirt 7.354.

9-12 Girls Breakaway Roping (23)
— 1. Tauna Higgins, 4.704, \$89.70; 2. Bridgette Hecht, 5.099, \$74.75; 3. Kenna Armitage, 5.335, \$59.80; 4. Kara Jenkins, 5.611, \$44.85; 5. Dana Lewis, 5.776, \$29.90; 6. Maggie Pearson, 7.139; 7. Casey Jo Light, 15.107.

13-15 Girls Breakaway Roping (19)
— 1. Megan Davis, 3.516, \$114; 2. Robin Warbois, 3.525, \$95; 3. Katie Kirkes, 4.117, \$76; 4. Tamra Sanders, 4.314, \$57; 5. Kelsey Davis, 4.366, \$38; 6. Chezie Davis, 12.924; 7. Emily Smith, 13.461; 8. Brandi Harrison, 13.812; 9. Raquel Davis, 13.704.

16-19 Girls Breakaway Roping (21)
— 1. Paige Burelsmith, 3.859, \$157.50; 2.
Shawna Kay Rowland, 4.021, \$131.25; 3.
Robin Squyres, 4.134, \$105; 4. Jennifer Merrell, 5.021, \$78.75; 5. Shawn Purcell, 5.378, \$52.50; 6. Misty Meyer, 5.551; 7.
Cassie Short, 13.529; 8. Sadie Dove 13.587; 9. Sarah Boone, 17.181.

13-15 Boys Breakaway Roping (25)
—1. Rodey Wilson, 2.893, \$138; 2. Monty Lewis, 3.107, \$115; 3. Marty Eakin, 3.115, \$92; 4. Clay Hardin, 3.343, \$69; 5. Miles Thompson, 3.720, \$46; 6. Jody Rowland, 3.768; 7. J.D. Kibbe, 3.852; 8. Keith Jackson, 4.187; 9. Dillon Lewis, 4.977; 10.

Tyler Hargrave, 10.203.

8-under Goat Tying (18) — 1. Tori
Bilberry, 14.299, \$59.40; 2. Chelsey Callan,
14.367, \$49.50; 3. Kodi Armitage, 14.731,
\$39.60; 4. Justin Smith, 15.425, \$29.70; 5.
Lori Jo Lide, 15.439, \$19.80; 6. Danielle
McGuire, 15.856; 7. Aaron Lide, 16.223;
8. Kody Porterfield 16.974; 9. Hart Greenwood 17.268; 10. Kimberly Jackson

9-12 Goat Tying (21) — 1. Kimberly Howard, 11.270, \$81.90; 2. Bridgette Hecht, 11.396, \$60.25; 3. Lynde Orcutt, 11.868, \$54.60; 4. Raelynn Gardner, 12.664, \$40.95; 5. Christie Hendley, 14.224, \$27.30; 6. Kara Jenkins, 14.491; 7. Aleashae Tindol, 15.409; 8. Tauna Higgins, 15.601; 9. Ashley Denton, 16.058; 10. Taylor Fellows, 16.470.

13-15 Goat Tying (17) — 1. Emily Smith, 10.823, \$102; 2. Megan Davis,

10.881,\$85; 3. Ashley Sultemeier, 11.155, \$68; 4. Brandy Denton, 11.196, \$51; 5. Robin Warbois, 11.381, \$34; 6. Kelsey Davis, 11.502; 7. Lacy Roberts, 12.583; 8. Taylor Laws, 12.711; 9. Brandi Harrison, 12.924; 10. Chezie Davis, 13.076.

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Seller, City Robert Montiel, Portales, NM	6 Hol Bulls	205 lbs. at \$75.00
Glenn Mahagan, Kress	Hol Str	405 lbs at \$66.00
Gilberto Mojica, Muleshoe	2 Blk Strs	243 lbs. at \$107.00
Shonda Chancey, Whiteface	Bwf Str	285 lbs. at \$120.00
Charles Burton, Pep	Blk Bull	365 lbs. at \$103.00
Raymond Kesey, Anton	Blk Bull	
T & R Cattle, Littlefield	4 Mxd Bulls	
Ronnie Vaughn, Littlefield	Red Bull	585 lbs. at \$77.00
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16-19 Goat Tying (12) — 1. Jera Harris, 10.013, \$150; 2. Paige Burelsmith,

10.246, \$90; 3. Darla Blackwell, 10.978,

\$60; 4. Brandi Curtis, 12.423; 5. Kasi Kibbe,

12.500; 6. Shvonne Farrow, 12.743; 7.

Megann Young, 13.743; 8. Shalie Erramouspe, 15.934; 9. Natalie Hogue

16-19 Boys Ribbon Roping (25) - 1.

Casey Crow, 7.133, \$181.25; 2. Monty

Eakin, 7.887, \$150; 3. Clyde Jenkins, 8.021,

\$118.75; 4. Seth Elliott, 8.456, \$87.50; 5.

Blake Williamson, 9.478, \$56.25; 6. Ryon

Swink, 9.586, \$31.25; 7. Ryan Brewer, 9.623; 8. Dustin Dixon, 9.689; 9. Rusty

Henard, 9.734; 10. Clay Green, 10.193. 9-12 Boys Ribbon Roping (26) — 1.

Sterling Morris, 9.926, \$98.02; 2. Brock

McLemore, 8.880, \$81.12; 3. Brad Good,

11.430, \$64.22; 4. Gary Herrera, 11.706,

\$47.32; 5. Chance Millican, 11.878, \$30.42;

6. Jace Rowland, 12.646, \$16.90; 7. Jacob

Martin, 16.344; 8. Max Graham, 16.665; 9.

C.W. Cathey, 16.730; 10. Justin Nevarez,

13-15 Boys Ribbon Roping (29) — 1.

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Seaton, 8.545, \$139.20; 3. John Pete

Etcheverry, 8.726, \$110.20; 4. Rex Tippy,

8.740, \$81.20; 5. Dillon Lewis, 9.153,

\$52.20; 6. Clay Hardin, 9.243, \$29; 7.

Jeremy Gonzales, 9.375; 8. Chris Purcell.

9.506; 9. Colt Arnold, 9.932; 10. Brett

Chezie Davis 10.736, \$96; 2. Laura Jo Via,

11.613, \$67.50; 3. Emily Smith 11.872; 4.

Katie Kirkes, 13.565; 5. Robin Warbois,

Robin Squyres, 9.489, \$112.50; 2. Paige

16-19 Girls Ribbon Roping (9) — 1.

13-15 Girls Ribbon Roping (8) - 1.

Squyres, 10.583.

15.448; 10. Julie Slayden 21.720.

Migrant Council, Inc Migrant Head Start

Texas Migrant Council, Inc., Migrant Head Start Program is offering quality child development services to income eligible, migrant farmworker families and their children. Special emphasis will be given to serving disabled children.

THE PROGRAM PROVIDES:

Multilingual, multicultural education
 Health education
 and services
 Nutrition education and services
 Social services information and referral
 Parent involvement activities
 Services for disabled children
 Transportation

The Migrant Head Start Program will be serving children from 6 weeks to 5 years.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE? FAMILIES WHO ARE:

- Migrant farmworkers (proof of migrancy required), and also those who
- Qualify under the ACYF federal guidelines for low income families (proof is requires - check stubs, W-2's, etc.)

For more information about MHS and other possible services for migrant farmworkers, please contact:

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Marvon Ann Raef

Muleshoe died June 18 in McBee of Amarillo; two broth-Muleshoe.

June 23 at the St. Francis Cemetery, near Amarillo under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home of Muleshoe.

Mrs. Raef was born May 22, 1942 in Panhandle. She married Bob Raef Oct. 31, 1982 in Panhandle.

Marvon and her family moved to Muleshoe in 1991. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Panhandle. She was a member of the Esther-Dorcas Circle of the First United Methodist Church in Muleshoe. She

worked with the county attorney for two years and one year as deputy county clerk's office in Bailey County.

Survivors include her husband; her mother, Vione McGregor of Panhandle; three sons, Jim Jay Howe of Aurora, Colo., Heath Howe of Tucson, Ariz., and Robert Raef Jr. of Amarillo; four daughters, Joy Creech of Minco, Okla., Crystal Howe of Canyon, Aneta Marvon Ann Raef, 55, of Younger of Idalou and Dana ers, Ben McGregor of Hous-Memorial services were ton and Tom McGregor of Panhandle; six grandchildren.

> The family suggests memorials to the following: Scottish Rite Hospital for Children, 2222 Welborn, Dallas, TX; Bell Choir First United Methodist Church, Muleshoe, TX; or Square House Museum, Panhandle, TX.

Lillie Mae Gatlin

Lillie Mae Gatlin, 69, of Muleshoe died June 21 at the Muleshoe Area Medical Cen-

Graveside services were held June 24 at dreamland

Cemetery in the Dreamland Cemetery under the direction of Myers-Long Funeral Home of Turkey, Texas.

Mrs. Gatlin was born May 30, 1928 in Sacramento, Calif. She married Olan Gatlin Dec. 28, 1944 in Las Cruces, NM.

Lillie was a homemaker. She had lived in Muleshoe since 1988, moving from Turkey. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Turkey. She was preceded in death by one son, Clarence Lee Gatlin

in 1988 and a brother, in 1990.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, James Earl Gatlin and Dale Gatlin, both of Dequeen, Ark.; two daughters, Linda Lorane Davis of Muleshoe and Wanda May Cagle of Abilene; three sisters, Shirly Ann White and Wanda Laverne Vance both of Dequeen and Bonnie Marie Cox of Texarkana, Ark.; one brother, Marvin Ray Hughes of Dequeen; 16 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Rodeo

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Burelsmith, 10.620, \$67.50; 3. Cassie Short, 13.498, \$45; 4. Kacy Henard, 14.144; 5. Lauren Middleton, 19.533; 6. Darla Blackwell, 23.364.

9-12 Steer Stopping (25) — 1. Jacob Martin, 4.550, \$94.25; 2. Jay Dee Logan, 5.116, \$78; 3. Gary Herrera, 7.179, \$61.75; 4. Grady Goodson, 7.462, \$45.50; 5. Grady Herrera, 7.751, \$29.25; 6. Sterling Morris, 7.783, \$16.25; 7. Tell Good, 8.086; 8. Brandon Gonzales, 8.548; 9. Kenna Armitage, 8.951; 10. Eric Magby, 11.050.

13-15 Team Roping (18) — 1. Wacey Moore and Shawn Gray, 9.769, \$108/man; 2. Monty Lewis and Josh Morris, 16.825, \$90/man; 3. Chezie Davis and John Pete Etcheverry, 17.204, \$72/man; 4. J.D. Kibbe and Sterlin Burney, 17.724, \$54/man; 5. T.C. Long and Kyle Logsdon, 18.764, \$36/

16-19 Team Roping (25) - 1. Shandon Stalls and Rusty Henard, 9.593, \$181.25/man; 2. Casey Crow and Rusty Henard, 10.540, \$150/man; 3. Kipp Blount and Tanner Blount, 12.510, \$118.75/man;

4. Clay Myers and Neal Stanfield, 14.862, \$87.50; 5. Ryan Brewer and Jason Thomas, 14.906, \$56.25; 6. Kirk Parrish and Tanner Blount, 14.940, \$31.25/man; 7.

Jason York and Cody Lawrence, 15.069; 8. Jason Thomas and Ryan Brewer, 17.546; 9. Kip Clayton and Zeb Read, 19.132; 10. Mickey Wilkins and Tommy Conner.

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